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## TITLE

Method and apparatus for providing directed communications through a networked array of nodes

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